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Valedictory Address

The Avalanche is pleased to publish the excellent graduation valedictory address delivered by Miss Helen Granger at the Commencement exercises of the class of 1925.

We who stand tonight at the meeting between a happy past and an unknown future have reached not the end, but the commencement of our lives. And what those lives are to be depends in a large measure upon the foundations we have been building for them in our High school years. This is a big thought and I want you to think with me just how big it is. At the end of our course I am fired with a zeal of class patriotism that I would like to be able to transmit to you with all its wonder and thrill.

It seems well for us who are about to step forth into the path of the world's progress to consider something of what our party is in the great battle of life are, or ought to be, as citizens of the grandest and greatest Republic and nation of all the world, representing to its people the best school of all that covers the land from ocean to ocean. All our lives we have heard a great deal about patriotism, and each citizen has seemed to define the word in his own way according to his own ideas of party politics.

Doubtless we are all familiar with famous words of Decatur when he said: "Our Country! May she always be in the right! But right or wrong our country." To the minds of the twentieth-century politicians this has become: "My Party! May she always be right. But right or wrong, My Party!"

At first hearing these words sound harmful of patriotism, we feel our hearts as we listen, quiver with a responsive thrill to the patriotism of the Speaker's enthusiasm, but the mind of those whose rights are deeper and broader and higher and purer, as he looks upon the folds of the tri-colored bunting waving in the breeze to the one who loved his country as Washington and Lincoln and McKinley loved it, these words are far enough from the true ring. To such a heart the only true patriotism is that of the nation's noblest and purest and good at heart. And not to say "Our country, right or wrong! Let "My country, make her right. Keep her standard clean and white."

Of course conceptions of the highest patriotism must vary as history and institutions vary. For instance Russia thinks of a divine right to universal empire. The distinguishing mark of America's patriotism is freedom of her institution—true democracy—and stand for liberty, freedom and truth at whatever cost of property or the cause of human life. If we love our country then we will her stand the purest and noblest, and we will use all our powers and direct all our efforts to help to make real ideals we hold for her.

We held these thoughts in mind in adopting our class colors for blend of blue and silver holds our twofold purpose. First, when we chose the blue of truth for our foundation, the blue of the sky and sea, and all eternal things that are as true and as high as the heavens, and as deep and as lasting as the ocean. With this we blend the silver. Silver is, of course the symbol of value, representative of the metallic clink of many coins that symbolize the price we must pay for all life's gifts, and the price life must pay back to us for what we have to offer at her shrine. It stands for the coin of the realm—the medium by which every door may be opened to us, and to whose clink all forces keep step and all human hearts respond. Silver will buy nearly everything in the world, but not quite all—that is where we need the blue—the truth of our foundation before whose magic touch even the purse-strings are of no avail. But it is not only because of its financial value that we chose the silver. It is one of the greatest treasures of the earth, and as such signs not be disappointed.



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ties much in its promise of our power to offer, even the gifts that are hidden beneath the surface, and not easily discovered by the average eye. Besides, there is a sterling worth to the silver article, though it be a mere toy; it has durability, and is free from the tarnish of every destructible element before which so many less valuable materials decay and become no longer pleasant to sight or touch. There is also a ring of sincerity in the silver coin. It speaks of truth and trust value, beside which the dull thud of lead or the peculiar clang of brass is a mockery and a snare. Yes, it means all this to us; and when after the passage of years, the silver threads begin to shrink with plentiful profusion the locks of our hair, they speak of wisdom and attainment, and of full life, rich with experience and achievement, and still blend bravely and beautifully with the blue that once the truth of some far-off commencement.

Dear Parents, we cannot pass forever out of this quiet channel into the deeper water awaiting us without thanking you from the bottom of our hearts for the privilege of beginning this voyage of life on the breast of so clear and calm a stream. For these happy years our bark has glided so smoothly along between the banks that we could reach over and gather the lilies through which we were guided; and were scarcely conscious of our own efforts in propelling our little craft up the stream. Our teachers have carefully sheltered us on our onward journey. We realize that had you not made this possible for us, we start on the voyage of life might have been saddened by many disasters and retarded by many a barrier that might threaten to wreck our vessel even at the beginning of our voyage. We want you to know how much we appreciate your loving thoughtfulness before we, tonight, sail onward to the sea of the larger life awaiting us.

Dear Friends, we who are passing out of High School life into more active citizenship today, feel that we have a place in national life. We feel that each one of us has a work to do in demonstrating the spirit of patriotism that is in us. Reconstruction is going on all over the land. Much indeed needs to be reconstructed, much to be destroyed. Some people live through the entire course of their lives without once waking up to a consciousness of the existence of these laws. They stumble along blindly, wafted hither and thither and by every passing breeze of circumstance, drifting idly here and there through an aimless existence knowing not why they do this, that, or other, and having no idea why certain experiences should come to them, nor why they should be forced to endure many apparently unjust difficulties and disasters. All the time, however, they are moving in obedience to probably the most powerful and invincible of all laws—the great law of compensation. We may not be even dimly conscious of the workings of this great law. We may not even guess why this or that joy or sorrow should suddenly come upon us. We may not even have begun to realize that for what ever harvest we reap, we ourselves must savor some time or other have sown the seed.

We can all have a part in reconstruction, women as well as men, girls as well as boys. Whatever helps to make a nation nobler and better, whatever serves to elevate the people of the land to a higher plane of thought and life, whatever, in any way, makes America better worth living in, is helping on the great work of present-day reconstruction, and remember that whatever elevates the individual elevates to a greater or lesser degree the community in which that individual lives. We are overflowing with class patriotism tonight, and we step forth into the arena with a full sense of our own importance. We know, of course, that we are not bound to make the earth go right, but we are sure in realizing our possibilities that we have a clear idea of the responsibility that these possibilities involve. We expect great things of ourselves, and we hope that you too expect great things of us, and may not be disappointed.

Members of the faculty, you who have had the training of us in this spirit of patriotism for the last four years, we know how fully you have realized that the strongest asset of the American nation, and every nation, is its citizen-ship. You have certainly put forth every effort within your power to make true American men and women out of us. How well you have succeeded, only the future can determine. But we thank you at this time for all you have so cheerfully done, and tried to do, for each one of us, and trust that the coming years may demonstrate to your satisfaction as well as our own.

Gentlemen of the board of trustees, we realize that it is your silent influence at work thus the under-currents of our school activities that has made it possible for this hour, and for us to stand here before you tonight. As we linger here tonight upon the threshold of active life the doors of our school swing behind us, the question naturally arises to your minds: What are we going to get out of life anyway? There is but one sure and satisfactory answer. We are going to get out of life just exactly what we pay for—just exactly what we put into it—just exactly what we will to buy from the world, at the figure the ages have placed on all life's gifts. It all rests with us. Everything in the world has its price, and we cannot gain on advancement or advantage without, sometime or other, being called upon to pay every ounce of its value. It only remains then for each one of us to decide within ourselves what we most earnestly desire to get out of life and then to reasonably and deliberately sit down and count the cost.

Friends of the undergraduate class, we are leaving you in the best and most capable hands we know. We must all in one way or other pay the full price of even the smallest idle thought. How important it is then that you should sow with the utmost care from the beginning, even as we have done before you. As students during these preparatory years of school life, we have already experienced at various times the workings of the great law of compensation. We have earned our rewards; we have suffered our punishments; and as the popular saying of the day would express it, "We got what was coming to us." We wish it were possible for you who are to come after us to profit by our example and experiences, and not have to learn all these things in the same bitter way they have been brought home to us.

Classmates, what a big thought it is that from this time on we have the shaping of our destinies in our own hands. All these student years we have been on the receiving hand. Life has been showering us with its best gifts. While we have earned a certain portion of all that we have attained there is yet a great deal of development, the gradual day by day character building. We stand tonight at the very gateway of life's activities, prepared by all these years of instruction and watchful guidance for the struggle with the real, vital existence that awaits us on the other side. As we look back, how easy it is to estimate, by the landmarks along the road, the value received of our school career.

May the colors of our class, and all that they stand for, but symbolize in a larger sense, the principles of the nation. Let us prove, as we separate tonight, that our High school was one of the best mills in the world, for grinding out individuals that are worth while. Let us show the world, as we step into its fields of endeavor, that we are still the best citizens and truest patriots made of. We have within our souls the full value of every gift we could possibly crave out of life's storehouse. There is nothing absolutely too expensive for us to buy with the assets of our disposal. Let us resolve then, that we will keep our records so clean and so accurately balanced, as we go, that there will never be any bad debts standing against us, but that "For value received I promise to pay" as represented by our diplomas. May it be only a pleasurable reminder of the most enjoyable duty and privilege as we look the work in the face, feeling that we have a full claim upon such portions as we wish to make our own.

Helen Granger

CHILDREN MUST KEEP OFF THE STREETS

Notice is hereby given that all children under 17 years of age must be and remain off the streets of Grayling after the hour of 8:00 each evening, unless accompanied by their parents or guardian.

The Village Curfew bell will ring at eight o'clock, thus giving due and timely warning that children should be in their homes. Parents of children will be held liable for the conduct of their children who may come under the direction of this notice.

JULIUS JENSON

Village Marshal.

STICK BY IT

You can buy lots in Florida on easy terms. Don't buy any. You can buy fruit farms in California. Stay at home. You can buy small business enterprises on easy terms anywhere. Stay on the farm.

With industry laying men off instead of employing them, the farm is the place for the man who is there as well as for the one who isn't.

Stick to the land, get few cows and chickens. Other people will envy you.

Value of Observation

An observant man, in all his intercourse with society and the world carries a pencil constantly in his hand, and, unperceived, marks on every person and thing the figure expressive of its value, and therefore instantly on meeting that person or thing again knows what kind and degree of attention to give it.

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM EVERYWHERE

BLOODLESS REVOLUTION DEPOSES GREEK CABINET BY A MILITARY COUP

Athens.—The Greek government, under the premiership of Michalakopoulos, has been deposed and a new government, under military control, installed at Athens. The revolutionary movement started simultaneously in Athens and Saloniki, when anti-government forces, after a brief and harmless fusillade, seized the telegraph offices and cut communications.

The military movement had been foreseen for several days, but up to the last minute, the government had declared itself confident of the situation and was absolutely convinced of the loyalty of the troops.

General Pangalos and his staff took up quarters at the war ministry, where he assumed the attitude of leader of the revolution and issued orders accordingly. In the meantime the government resigned.

Admiral Hadjikiroakes assumed command of the fleet and is expected to become minister of marine. It is understood that Admiral Coudouriotis intended to resign the presidency, but was dissuaded.

The populace seems strangely unmoved by the event and is evidently becoming accustomed to such coups which have been increasing frequently in recent years.

All the leaders of the military movement are strong republicans and are anxious to set up a more democratic government.

SENATOR LADD TAKEN BY DEATH

Washington.—Senator Edwin Fremont Ladd, of North Dakota, passed away in a Baltimore hospital where he had been under treatment for kidney trouble.

Senator Ladd retained consciousness almost to the last. Mrs. Ladd arrived from Washington an hour before the end came, and was at the bedside with Milton, one of the sons who is studying law in George Washington University, and the daughter, Virginia.

Mrs. Ladd was seriously affected by the Senator's death, and due to this the funeral services were held in Washington, where the body was interred temporarily in a vault until Mrs. Ladd is able to make the trip to North Dakota.

FORD SHIP SAILS FOR EUROPE

New York.—Henry Ford has put his ship in the trans Atlantic freight service and the whole shipping and business world is interested in what this fact may portend.

The steamer *Onida*, which has hitherto been employed in coastwise transportation for the Ford interests, sailed from Brooklyn for European ports. The cargo of 5,000 cars and parts is designed to feed Ford's European plants. Ports of call will be Bremen, Antwerp and Copenhagen. The *Onida* will carry a general cargo on her return trip.

GENERAL DEBT FUNDING SEEN

Washington.—Europe has decided to pay the war debts owed to the United States. France and Czechoslovakia will begin negotiations for the funding of their obligations later this summer, according to information given out at the state department. Belgium, as hitherto announced, will send a funding commission to this country at once, and arrangements have been made to inaugurate negotiations between this body and the American war debt refunding commission about the middle of next month.

INDIAN REVOLT SEEN

London.—The British empire is menaced by a serious revolution in India which threatens to break out soon in Bengal and to spread throughout the country under the direction of Soviet Russia, according to exclusive and reliable information obtained here.

Bolshevik agents are reported to be establishing an excellent connection with Indian revolutionaries, especially in Bengal, since the Moscow Reds have gained a dominating position in Afghanistan.

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HATCHERY FINISHES SEASON'S PLANTING

Grayling Fish hatchery has just finished planting fry for the season with a record of over three million, as follows:

Brook trout, 2,754,000.

Brown trout, 85,000.

Rainbow trout, 750,000.

Superintendent Zalsman says that they have started to build more ponds so as to enable them to have more room for stock fish. He hopes then to have enough spawn to fill the hatchery. One of the great difficulties has been to obtain enough good seeds to supply the hatchery to its capacity.

GUNS UNDER 30 INCHES MUST BE REGISTERED

Every owner of a gun 30 inches or less in length must register same with the county sheriff at once. The Avalanche has just finished printing the registration blanks and Sheriff Bobenmeyer is ready to make the registrations.

Don't put this matter off. See to it at once and avoid any possible penalty that may come from neglect to do so.

Make a note of the name of the manufacturer and the number of the gun.

This information will be required.

IZAAK WALTON'S CLOSE CHARACTER WITH 50 MEMBERS

Grayling Chapter Izak Walton league has closed its charter with a membership of fifty.

President E. G. Zalsman says that he hopes that every member will bring in a new member so that by fall we may be able to boast of 100 members.

This is a most worthy organization, one that appeals strongly to those men and women who seek to preserve the wild life, the forests, streams and lakes of our country so that the boy and girl still unborn may be privileged to enjoy, as we have done, the healthful and recreative sport found in the great out-doors.

A prize will be given the member of Grayling chapter who catches the largest brook trout during the months of July and August of this year.

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JULY 4, JEFFERSON, MONTICELLO.



By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN

The Fourth of July and Thomas Jefferson are naturally closely associated in the minds of all good Americans. Monticello may now be added for the reason that a movement is well under way to restore his home at Charlottesville, Va., and make it a national patriotic shrine.

The memory of Jefferson deserves well of his country. It was he who made the draft of the Declaration of Independence; he was the third President of the United States and his other services were many and distinguished.

Jefferson was born April 13, 1743, at Shadwell, Va. He died at Monticello July 4, 1826, on the fiftieth anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. So Independence day next year will be the sesquicentennial of the Declaration and the centennial of Jefferson's death.

Jefferson was graduated from William and Mary college in 1762 and was admitted to the bar in 1767. He was a member of the Continental congress, 1775-6, and signed the Declaration. In 1776 he was a member of the legislature of Virginia and a leader in important legal reforms. He filled these other positions: Governor of Virginia, 1779; member of congress, 1783; minister to France, 1784-9; secretary of state, 1790-1; vice president, 1797-1801; president, 1801-9. He founded in 1819 the University of Virginia at Charlottesville.

Monticello is to be restored, so far as possible, to the condition in which it was left by Jefferson. This task has been undertaken jointly by the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation and the American Institute of Architects through its committee on the preservation of historic monuments and scenic beauties. Prof. Elsie Kinball, chairman of the architects' committee, hopes not only to restore the lawns and gardens to Thomas Jefferson's period, but also to return to the historic mansion much of the furniture. The foundation was established on the one hundred and eightieth anniversary of Jefferson's birth, April 13, 1923. The following December the foundation, by making a payment of \$100,000, took legal title to the beautiful colonial mansion, the estate consisting of 500 acres of land and priceless Jeffersonian relics.

When retiring from the Presidency, Jefferson expected to be the "hermit of Monticello," but this was not to be. A continuous stream of visitors came to the place. It was said at the time that "everyone in the United States of any enterprise sooner or later found his way to this extraordinary hermitage." He himself wrote at one time that "an ox lasted only a day or so." Sometimes he had to prepare fifty beds for a night. His visitors ate him out of house and home.

Then, on top of the gradual dwindling of his resources, the pre-revolutionary debt of his wife's estate he came due in England and nearly half of his fortune was swept away at one blow. An indorsement for a friend cost him \$20,000. Finally he had to sell his library and sold it to Congress for \$23,000.

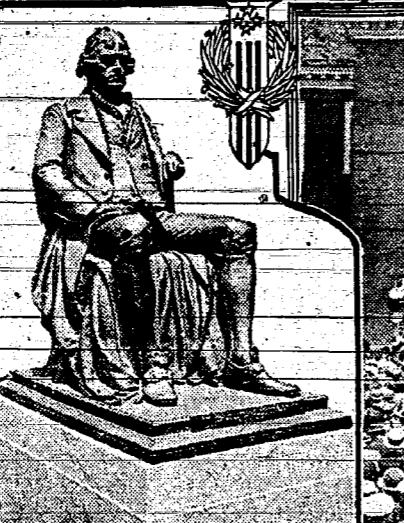
In order to avert the blow that was pending, Jefferson petitioned the legislature for permission to dispose of his property at a fair valuation by lottery. He said: "By this means I can save the Monticello house and a farm adjoining to end my days in and bury my bones. If not, I must sell out, and all here, and carry my family to Bedford, where I have not even a log hut to put my head into." There was some opposition in the legislature, but the bill passed.

Walked From Jericho

The man who, in a recent police court case, manifested that he had tramped to London from Jericho, did not, of course, mean that he had journeyed on foot from Palestine.

There are no fewer than six Jerichos recorded in the ordinance survey of England, and from one or the other of them, presumably, he had come.

Our ancestors were plough-folk, and prone to heaveo Scriptural names on



When the news spread, public meetings were called and subscriptions for Jefferson's use were started. A loan or gift from the treasury was suggested, but Jefferson would not hear of that plan. He said: "I have spent three times as much money, and given my whole life to my countrymen, and now they may come to me in the same way they can, to repay me and save my old servant from being turned like a dog out of doors."

The action of the public made the last days of his life easier. But the debts still hung over the estate. Upon his death subscriptions ceased to come in. The lottery was a farce. The executor disposed of the estate, the land going as low as three to ten dollars an acre. The proceeds were not enough to discharge the obligations. So independence day next year will be the sesquicentennial of the Declaration and the centennial of Jefferson's death.

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ALONG LIFE'S TRAIL

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois
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GOING IT ALONE

HERE was a riot down in a Texas oil town recently, it is said, and as is common in such instances, things got quickly beyond the control of the city officials. The marshal of the village, wishing to save the day, telephoned to a distant station urging that a posse of rangers be sent at once to quell the disturbance.

The excitement did not seem to abate, and the marshal awaited the incoming train with some perturbation. When it came to a standstill, only one man got off, a short, stocky, square-jawed runt who ambled up to the marshal with quiet self-assurance.

"I'm Bill," he announced. "Are you the marshal?"

"Yes," answered the excited city official, "but where are the rangers? One-man can't do anything."

"Why, h—l," Bill answered, squaring his shoulders and running his hands into his pockets, "they ain't but one riot, is they?"

There is a story in the old second reader which we dog-eared in the district school which I attended of a lark which had its nest in a wheat field. When she came home one evening her children who were too young

to fly, were very much excited. The owner of the field had been looking things over during the day and had decided that the field was ready to be harvested and that he would call in his neighbors next day to help him.

"Don't be excited, my children," the lark said to her little ones; and the relatives proved quite as unreliable as the neighbors had done.

The third day the farmer announced, "Tomorrow I will set at the work myself."

"We had better be moving," the lark went off in search of food and when she returned found the children again excited. The farmer had been back, but had found none of his neighbors there to help him. He announced that next day he would call in the relatives.

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the railroads of their just share of the business. Intertwoven with this problem of transportation is the fact that the motortruck, if properly developed, will go a long way toward solving our transportation problems, and bringing about a natural economic solution of

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trian.

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the American Legion's \$5,000,000 endow-

ment fund for disabled veterans

and orphans of the World war, the

\$1,000,000 mark had been passed, ac-

cording to National Commander James

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most cases with a substantial oversub-

scription.

Kentucky was the first state to com-

plete its quota, oversubscribing it by

70 per cent. Tennessee and Arkansas

followed closely. The first Northern

state to raise its proportion of the

fund was North Dakota. South Dako-

ta was not far behind. Other states

which completed their quotas in the

early stages of the nation-wide cam-

paign were North Carolina, Utah and

Nevada.

Avon Park, Florida town with a

population of 800, claims to be the

only city in the country to have

trebled its quota in two hours. The

town raised \$17,000 against a quota of

\$125 by noon of the first day and

pushed on. A total of \$917 was sub-

scribed in the first ten minutes.

George G. Baumgardner, Civil war

veteran of Phoenix, Ariz., sent in a

check for \$5. He said he would send

that amount each month. The first

contribution at Tucson was from the

Associated Federal Students at the

University of Arizona, who gave half

the funds in their treasury.

Attaches of the United States Veter-

ans' Bureau office at Minneapolis,

Minn., pledged themselves to raise

\$2,000. Patients and attaches at the

United States Veterans' Hospital,

No. 49, at Excelsior Springs, Mo., con-

CENTRAL NEWS

During July and August we will be open Sundays from 7 to 1, and 5 to 9 o'clock.

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O. P. SCHUMANN, Editor.

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THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1925.

OUR DAY OF INDEPENDENCE

Next Saturday, July 4th, we will celebrate the 149th anniversary of the birth of the United States of America. Perhaps, as never before in the history of this nation, has there been greater need for us to pause and take stock of those things for which as loyal American citizens we should be grateful.

We are living in a land where individual citizenship has found its widest expression in the control of governmental affairs.

Here we find greater opportunities than ever came to the people of any land for self advancement. Our country today is ringing with the hum of a new prosperity and this coming national natal day will find us happy, contented and at peace with all the world. It will find us intent in weaving out our own destinies and willing to assume our full individual share of the world's burdens and responsibilities.

Heretofore our only danger, with but one possible exception, has been outside, but of late have come to our shores a merciless horde bent upon sewing the seeds of discontent, which is not scammed out, may some day assume a growth beyond our power to control.

This newspaper, in common with hundreds of other weekly newspapers in Michigan, is dedicated to the battle of driving every semblance of radicalism out of the state. We have no room here for the teaching of the red soviet and next Saturday we call upon you as loyal American citizens to join with us in this new spirit of independence, this new declaration of freedom which our Revolutionary heroes dreamed of in the days when Paul Revere rode out to warn his fellow countrymen of their danger of the days when Washington stood at Valley Forge and saw the blood stained tracks of his followers in the river snow that gave us the red and white in our flag of the free; a flag born under the blue skies of a new day and a new world.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Calvin Church and son Bobby of Center Line arrived Monday to visit at the James Armstrong home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Landers and children of Lansing are visiting Mrs. Landers' brother E. F. Cooper and her aunt Mrs. M. W. McLeod.

Of interest to her many Grayling friends is the marriage of Miss Sibyl H. McCargo of Bay City and Emmett J. Masterson, at St. Mary's church in Bay City Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Adams and children returned Tuesday from a few days visit in Bay City and Lansing. They were accompanied home by the former's brother H. Adams, Lansing.

Alpena's big eight-day celebration will begin the 4th and continue to the 11th. They promise 8 days of frolic and amusement and something doing every minute.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds motored to East Jordan Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson, "Pete" caught for East Jordan against the Illinois Gias's the latter winning by a score of 3 to 0.

In the absence of electric power this week, the Avalanche has had to considerably abbreviate its news matter. We hope for an early rain and plenty of water in the pond for generating electricity.

Mr. Charles Fehr entertained the "It Suits Us" club at her home Thursday afternoon. There were three tubas of "500" prizes going to Mrs. Ambrose McClain and Mrs. A. Trudeau. Guests of the club were Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Walter Doroh, Mrs. W. Hark, Mrs. Peter Brown and Mrs. Arnold Burrows. A two course lunch was served.

Germans Charge Election Fraud

Berlin—Official protest has been entered by the Socialists against the validity of the election to Field Marshal Paul Von Hindenburg as president of Germany. The Socialists charge many irregularities and demand that the election be declared void. This action, however, does not seem to worry the Nationalists, who the circumstances were such as to say it will be difficult to prove that affect the result of the vote, in which Von Hindenburg received a plurality of 904,151.

SEVILLE IS FOSTER MOTHER OF AMERICA

Spanish City to Be Scene of Great Exposition.

Washington—Seville, Spain, is to be the scene of an Ibero-American exposition in 1927. The United States has been invited to participate.

"Seville might be called the foster mother of the New World," says a bulletin from the Washington headquarters of the National Geographic Society.

Seville was one of the favorite residence cities of Ferdinand and Isabella, and there Columbus discussed with them his epoch-making voyage to the West. When he sailed it was from Palos, a few miles from the mouth of the Guadalquivir on the lower reaches of which Seville lies, and in late voyages he sailed from or returned to San Lucar, a sort of outlying port of Seville where the Guadalquivir meets the sea.

"As soon as the exploitation of the New World began in earnest it was Seville that played the major role. There most of the expeditions were arranged, sailing either from the river port itself or from San Lucar. To control the New World trade, the Spanish sovereigns gave Seville a monopoly, and into this city poured the treasure that the galleons brought across the sea, and from it flowed the products of the homeland. It became the richest port in Spain and remained so for about two centuries, when, due to the silting of the Guadalquivir, Cadiz surpassed it.

Castilian and Moorish Mixture.

To most readers of history and geography one of the fascinating features of Spain is its mixture of Castilian and Moorish factors. Nowhere are the results of this union of the two diverse civilizations seen to better advantage today than in Seville, the metropolis of the South, the Pearl of Andalusia.

Though Granada's Alhambra probably surpasses Seville's Alcazar, there is at most only a minor gulf of architectural excellence and beauty between these two great masterpieces of the Moorish palace builders; and in other architectural features Seville is fairly saturated in a Moorish atmosphere. The patio, the contribution of the Moors, reaches its greatest development in Seville; there is hardly a dwelling of any consequence not provided with its open courtyard. Moorish windows and doors, Moorish pillars and the bright, colorful tilework in which Moorish artisans excelled, are encountered on every side.

"Under the Moors Seville was a sort of Utopia of beauty. Beautiful palaces were built; the streets were paved and lighted; dwellings were artificially heated in winter, and the more luxurious residents ruined their houses in summer with air piped from flower gardens that it might be scented, as well.

The libraries of the city drew scholars from all Europe; chemists worked in its halls of learning, and from the tall Giralda tower astronomers of no mean ability studied the stars. Music, art and literature flourished.

"No wonder a city with such traditions produced in later years a Velasquez, a Murillo and a Cervantes, or harbored such adventurous travelers as Columbus, Magellan and the Pizarros.

"Seville—or properly, 'Sevilla' for the English language has taken liberties with the city's name—has returned to its rank of importance in southern Spain and is today a flourishing port as well as a great city.

Crooked Aways and Broad Avenues. "The older part of Seville bears a strong impress of its Moorish past: close-set white houses, overhanging balconies, glimpses of orange-shaded patios and splashing fountains; narrow streets that double and twist and seem to lead nowhere. Those with a modicum of romance and curiosity in their makeup will love to poke about in old Seville, trending, perhaps, in the steps of Pedro the Cruel, who, armed with his trusty rapier, played by night in this western Bagdad a rôle like that of Haroun al Raschid. For those who prize the modern methods of city building there are the broad, airy thoroughfares of the newer parts of Seville, and the shady gardens and parks along the banks of the muddy Guadalquivir.

"Seville's latitude is that of Richmond, Virginia, but its climate is semi-tropical. Palms flourish and roses and oranges bloom the year round.

The winters, springs and autumns are delightful, but the summer the temperature is uncomfortably hot during much of the day. The ardent summer sun does not bother the seasoned Sevillano overmuch, however. He has developed, to perfection the art of living in such a climate. From shortly before midday for four or five hours Seville takes its siesta, leaving the streets practically deserted. By five o'clock

the city is alive again and from then on one may watch the ebb and flow of smart life in the narrow Calle de Seripes (street of the Serpents), where clubs, cafes and the better shops are concentrated.

"The center of interest to a tourist in Seville, both physically and historically, is the beautiful and graceful Giralda, watch tower of the centuries, as famous in its way as the Campanile of Venice. Rising more than 800 feet, it tops everything in Seville. The lower two-thirds of the structure was built about 1200 A. D. by the Moors to serve as a tall tower for their mosque, and the upper portion was added in the same style by Spanish builders in 1568.

"From the Giralda one sees the bright, clean city of Seville spread out in every direction."

The Man in the Moon

The appearance of a face on the moon is due to the elevations and depressions on its surface, so-called mountains of the moon, or craters. There being no atmosphere on the moon, the contrast between light and shadow is very great, and the arrangement of these shadows cast by the vast number of craters which cover the moon's surface gives the appearance of a face on the moon's surface.

Invention of Bronze

Bronze, the only tool metal known to our ancestors 8,000 years ago, was invented independently in both the Near East and by the Peruvian Indians.

CALL OF THE WILD

DEPICT CUSTOMS OF BYGONE AGE

Letters Show Etiquette of Seventeenth Century.

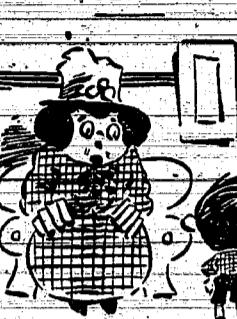
Liverpool—Letters and other documents dealing with manners and customs of daily life in the Seventeenth century which came to light recently tend to show that it was customary in those days for "persons of quality" to have sets of their own spoons, knives and forks which they took with them when invited out.

These papers are of particular interest just at this time to collectors of antiques in connection with an addition made recently to the British museum. This was the earliest hall-marked table fork known, engraved with the crest of Manners & Montagu, 1632. About the same time a silver spoon of identical hall-mark and crest was taken to Haddon hall.

Books on etiquette and table manners were far from being the prerogative of the Victorian age. It is revealed, as in 1663 there was published in London a book entitled "The Accomplished Lady's Rich Closet of Rarities" in which the following rules are laid down:

"A tribe of Indians has laid claim to a section of Chicago." "They probably want it as a spot as yet wholly untouched by civilization."

WOULD DIET



Chiller—My dear, when you get as big as mamma, what are you going to do?

Up-to-Date Kid—Cut out the sweets!

AN UNNECESSARY LAW



A law has been proposed to permit women to conceal their eyes.

"Quite unnecessary—the beauty doctors practice firmly, I'm sure."

HAPPY PROSPECT INDEED



You say they anticipate a very happy married life?

"My dear—al their relatives are so angry with them because they got married, they've vowed they'll never visit them."

LITTLE TO SAY



Mary—So your husband is devoted to the rifle—a fine marksman, I suppose?

Mrs. Youngbridge—He's very modest; but I've heard he's at the Trap Shooting club a good deal.

HOMER STILL IN USE



An old Greek philosopher says the invention of music was brought about through the sounds made by humaners.

"Undoubtedly true. The girl who gave him that idea is still hammering away in the apartment right next to ours!"

OUT OF PLACE



Miss Trotter—Whatcha standin' up for?

Mr. Eaglebird—They're playing the National Anthem.

Miss Trotter—S'down. We can't fox-trot to that tune.

First American Casting

The first iron casting made in America was turned out by the Saugus (Mass.) iron works in 1642. It was a small iron pot and bracket and is preserved in the Lynn (Mass.) public library.

Invention of Bronze

Bronze, the only tool metal known to our ancestors 8,000 years ago, was invented independently in both the Near East and by the Peruvian Indians.

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We will Close Out our line of Ladies' Hats, and offer the following Bargain Prices

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LOVELLS NEWS

PROBATE NOTICE
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the twenty ninth day of June, A. D. 1925. Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

Mr. J. Benson and James Clynce of Grayling are cutting timber on Mr. Benson's land near Lovells.

A few of the Lovells folks enjoyed the dance at Lutzene last Thursday night.

Mr. J. Anderson and family of Detroit are spending the summer at Lovells.

Clayton Kellogg is spending a few days at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Kellogg.

A few of the Lovells folks motored to West Branch Sunday.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

George Sorenson, Judge of Probate, A true copy.

George Sorenson, Judge of Probate. 7-2-3

PROBATE NOTICE
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the nineteenth day of June, A. D. 1925. Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

Just Received:

A FRESH STOCK OF
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Special Saturday
Bargains

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Always the freshest of green vegetables and fruits in season.

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Try This Laundry's
Hot Weather Helps

We can take off your hands every washday task, or divide the work with you, just as you like.

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We have a number of such optional services, each priced according to the amount of service rendered.

Call us up about this.

Grayling Laundry Co.

Phone 1011

Locals

THURSDAY, JULY 2, 1925.

The Burrows and Roberts market will be closed all day the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Herluf Sorenson spent the week end in Saginaw.

Let's not forget to have a "sane 4th." It pays.

The L. N. L. and N. L. V. S. enjoyed a picnic at Higgins Lake Sunday.

Ross N. Martin is a patient at Mercy hospital.

Howard Peterson of Detroit is visiting his mother Mrs. John Benson.

Pineapple and cherry sherbet. Buy it at the Grayling Creamery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wier of West Branch are enjoying the fishing on the Manistee river.

Mrs. Margaret Squires left Wednesday to enter Columbia University where she will attend summer school.

There will be a special dance at Col

lens Inn Friday night. Music by Schram's Ramblers.

Mrs. Charles Gotho left Sunday for Mount Pleasant where she will attend summer school.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Barton Watson a son on Friday June 26th. The little fellow weighed ten pounds.

Mrs. Blomdahl of Mackinaw is spending a few days visiting her sister Mrs. Daniel Hoesli and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown are entertaining Miss Stella Fitzpatrick of West Branch.

"Bill" Hemingway's friends will be glad to know that he is getting along as well as may be expected. He is at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thurston who have been visiting the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gotho, returned to Ossosu Sunday.

Miss Margaret Kerrigan and a party of friends stopped off in Grayling Monday enroute on a motor trip to the Soo.

Mrs. Ray Preston and children have returned from West Branch where they have been for several weeks.

Serve sherbet for your dinner deserts both on week days and Sundays. We have two flavors, pineapple and cherry. Grayling Dairy.

Mark Lewis entertained four little friends at a beach roast Tuesday evening. Everyone had a fine time. They attended the show latter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mitchell and daughter Norma and Mr. and Mrs. Tuesday, Mr. Mitchell and Norma remained in West Branch for a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Poehem and Miss Mildred Barnes of Sterling spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Dunham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Giepling are entertaining the former's sister Miss Helen Giepling. The latter has been teaching for the past year at Romeo Michigan.

Mrs. Jess Schoonover has returned from a visit with relatives in Lapeer and Detroit. Her daughter Miss Pauline who accompanied her remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lozon of Maple Forest and their daughter Miss Ora of Grayling were in Bay City the middle part of last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Elsie Lizin.

Mrs. Rose Laurant left Tuesday for Cheboygan to visit her mother, brothers and sisters who reside there, expecting to remain for about a month.

With the ban off of fireworks we dread to think of the toll of lost lives and personal injuries the newspaper may have to report the next day.

There will be some. Who are to be the victims?

Ruth Mac, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Slingerland passed away suddenly yesterday morning. The child had been in ill health since its birth. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon.

A pick-up base ball team from Grayling defeated Houghton Heights team at the latter's place in a game of ball last Sunday. The score was 7 to 2.

Elmer Laurant did the twirling and Elmer Smith received the others on the team were McPhee, Brown, C. Ingalls, Lansberg, Reagan, Chamberlain and Reurisky.

James Ketsul has leased the City restaurant, formerly run by Frank LaMothe. Mr. Ketsul has for the past three years been cook in a cafe in Detroit and understands the restaurant business, and hopes to be accorded a fair share of the local trade. The City restaurant has been established for many years in the early lumbering days.

A shortage of water in the pond caused the Electric Company to curtail their service by shutting down between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m.

This condition is quite likely to continue until we get a good rainfall.

It is making it very inconvenient for power users but it cannot be helped at this time. Just as soon as the additional power lines are completed to Grayling there is little danger of shutdowns.

An auto containing Erkless Wolcott, Truman LaVack, Byran Newell and Elmer Fenton side-swiped a large sedan on M-14 south of the city Saturday night severely injuring several persons in the small car. Wolcott and Fenton each received fractured collar bones. Newell was considerably cut about the head and received a number of fractured ribs. LaVack escaped with a few slight bruises.

The party were returning home from a dance in Beaver Creek. The occupants of the larger car were uninjured and were resorters from Higgins lake.

Mrs. Frank Sales reports the completion of taking the school census and an increase in seven children of school age over the record of last year. The report shows that there are 413 children in the district, 383 of whom are girls and 350 are boys.

Last year there were 1100 children of school age in Crawford county,

the state paying \$14.00 per capita netting the sum of \$154.00 received by the schools of the county. Of this amount \$10.248 came to Grayling township. In spite of the fact that several families have moved from the township, there is an increase in school population. Mrs. Sales is deserving of credit for the complete ness of her work.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lundgren and children left Wednesday for Manistee to spend the 4th.

Rev. Kolhede attended the annual convention of the Danish Lutheran churches held at Omaha, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simpson and Mrs. Wilbur Simpson were in Gaylord on business Tuesday.

Try some of our pineapple and cherry sherbet. They are delicious.

Grayling Dairy.

Sidney Graham accompanied by Carl Hanson were in Detroit on business the latter part of last week.

John Braudwood, a former resident of Grayling but now of Rochester, Mich. was in the city Monday.

Mrs. Roy Bricker and son of Cass City are visiting her sister Mrs. Oscar Hanson and family at Lake Marquette.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dorch are enjoying a visit from their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wheaton of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gorman and children left Monday for Seattle Washington where they will make their home.

Miss Elsie Erickson of Grand Rapids is enjoying a visit with her aunts Mrs. Adler Jorgenson and Mrs. J. W. Sorenson.

The Grant Salisbury family are enjoying a two weeks outing at Point Comfort, just north of Wah Wah Lake on the east shore of beautiful Otsego Lake.

Mrs. Clara Porter and son Eugene of Flint and Alfred Marquette of Saginaw, returned home Wednesday after spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eggle Ryberg and family.

Isaac Lovelly accompanied by his sister Minnie Lovelly and Agnes Boniface motored to Iron Mountain on a business trip. They returned Saturday.

Leo Tops has returned to Rochester after enjoying a week with his wife and children at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Tops is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen and family.

Mrs. Carl Sorenson and little son and Mrs. N. Schjotz expect to leave tomorrow for Compton, Calif., to visit Mrs. Sorenson's mother, Mrs. Marie Fischer and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Vaughn of Detroit is spending a couple of weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Svraas.

Mrs. Jake Collen and son Frank, and John and Bernard Condin of Linden are in Grayling for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Michelson entertained a number of friends at a chop suey supper party Sunday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Halford Kittleman. Mrs. Kittleman was formerly Miss Marjorie Wolf.

Miss Beatrice Trudeau nicely entertained the members of St. Mary's Society Thursday evening of last week. Music was enjoyed until the business meeting after which a delicious chop suey supper was served. It was a most enjoyable meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rosenlund and children left Sunday morning for Copenhagen, Denmark, sailing from the New York harbor on the steamship Frederik VIII. Mr. Rosenlund came to Grayling in 1913, all are returning owing to the failing health of Mr. Rosenlund's mother.

Saturday evening Edith Hanson entertained a number of friends at a dinner dance. After a delicious dinner the group attended the movie returning later to Collens pavillion for dancing. Everyone reported a lovely time. The affair was to celebrate Junior's birthday.

We enjoyed a couple of days visiting our old friends Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Saturday and Sunday. Annually since coming to Grayling we have had a good time. This year we hope they will continue long into the future. At one time Mr. Olney was a salesmen for the Franklin Typ Foundry of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon R. DuBois and Miss Doty of Grand Rapids were over Sunday guests of the Schumann family. They returned home Monday accompanied by Miss Jean Dubois and her son spending a few weeks visiting her cousin Helen of Marquette, Schumann, and Mrs. Oscar Schumann.

The Ladies Aid society of the Michigan Memorial church have held a pot-luck at the summer home of Mrs. Olaf Michelson at Lake Margrethe for the past four seasons and they have all been a success and everyone has had a good time. Don't miss the meeting of July 10th. Be ready to go out at 11:00 a. m. Cars will be waiting at the church from 11 to 13:30 a. m.

The sad news was received here yesterday of the tragic death of little Miss Jean Frances Skinner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Skinner of Detroit. Death was caused from burns received when she fell into a bonfire. Mrs. Skinner was formerly Miss Alta Reagan. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reagan left yesterday for Detroit to be in attendance at the funeral.

When twin sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Peterson of Johannesburg, South Africa, Mr. Peterson was informed of the good fortune by phone, and he refused to believe that he was the father of twin sons. And last night when he was again advised by phone that his wife had again presented him with twin sons, we can only imagine his consternation. He was sure that he was being spoofed this time for sure, but he is just as much mistaken as he was the first time. Two fine young Petersons are awaiting a paternal visit at Mercy hospital.

Miss Bertha Louise Woodburn, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd Woodburn, old residents of Grayling, to Mr. Arthur R. Tyler the ceremony taking place on May 29. The bride is a graduate of Grayling High school and a 1st year student at Harper hospital, Detroit, and for the past two years has efficiently held the position of school nurse at the Mid-Pacific institution. Mr. Tyler is a Leland Stanford graduate and holds a position of civil engineer. The bride who is well known and highly esteemed in Grayling has hosts of friends who extend congratulations and best wishes. Mr. and Mrs. Tyler will reside in Honolulu.

A reward of \$25.00 in cash will be given to anyone giving information that may lead to the arrest and conviction of the parties that broke into my filling station Tuesday night, June 23rd. Information received will be held strictly confidential.

JAPPE SMITH.

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Grayling, Michigan

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

In view of the devastating frosts of the past week, I specially urge farmers to put in fodder corn to take the place of hay that has not grown and probably will not grow.

Hay is going to be scarce and high this coming winter. Every farmer should protect his stock by planting fodder corn. It is still not too late.

R. D. BAILEY,
County Agricultural Agent.

W. J. McQueen of Alpena was in Grayling Tuesday on a business mission.

Walter Bell who is employed in Flint spent the week with friends in Grayling.

Mrs. Selma Simpson has returned from a visit with her sister in White more.

R. L. Evans and son Grayden and daughter Elizabeth of Gaylord visited Grayling friends Tuesday.

Mrs. McKinley attended the funeral of her old friend, Mrs. Alva Wright, at Gaylord Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Vella Herman is home from Port Hope, where she has been teaching school.

Every things points to a heavy highway traffic during the days over the 4th. Extreme caution should be used by drivers to avoid accidents.

Romaine Baugh, young daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Baugh, had the misfortune to break her arm Monday evening while playing near her home.

Mrs. Leslie Hackney, on Wednesday, June 23rd, at Pasadena, Calif., Mr. Melville is in the lumber business in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brownell and son Carl Jr. of Flint are guests of Mrs. Brownell's sister, Mrs. Will J. Heric, arriving Sunday afternoon by motor.

The death of Mrs. Alva Wright, aged 56 years, who for a short time was taking treatment for heart trouble at Grayling Mercy hospital, occurred at her home at Gaylord last Sunday afternoon, June 28th, and the services were held Tuesday forenoon from the Baptist church, interment being in Bagley cemetery. She is survived by a husband, three sons grown to manhood, and an adopted daughter, Marjorie Wright.

Mrs. Herbert W. Wolff entertained forty ladies Tuesday afternoon at her summer home, "Wolf's Den" at Lake Margrethe in honor of Mrs. Halford H. Kittleman, nee Marjorie Wolff, whose wedding took place in the Fourth Presbyterian church, Chicago, June 9th. Mr. and Mrs. Kittleman have just returned from a two weeks trip to Banff and Lake Louise in the Canadian Rockies. Mrs. Wolff and Mrs. Kittleman received their guests in front of a bank of ferns in the living room of the cottage. Mrs. Kittleman wore her wedding gown of ivory white satin, trimmed in point lace. Mrs. Wolff a gown of white chiffon and black lace. Misses Lucile Hanson of Grayling and Marjorie McKey of West Branch, who were in the wedding party, wearing their bridesmaids' gowns of orchid shaded chiffon and pink shaded chiffon, served the tea tables in the dining room. Misses Ella and Marjorie Hanson, in their junior bridesmaids' frocks of pink taffeta and cream lace, and Miss Virginia Hanson gown in pink taffeta, assisted in serving. Mr. and Mrs. Kittleman will return to Chicago next week.

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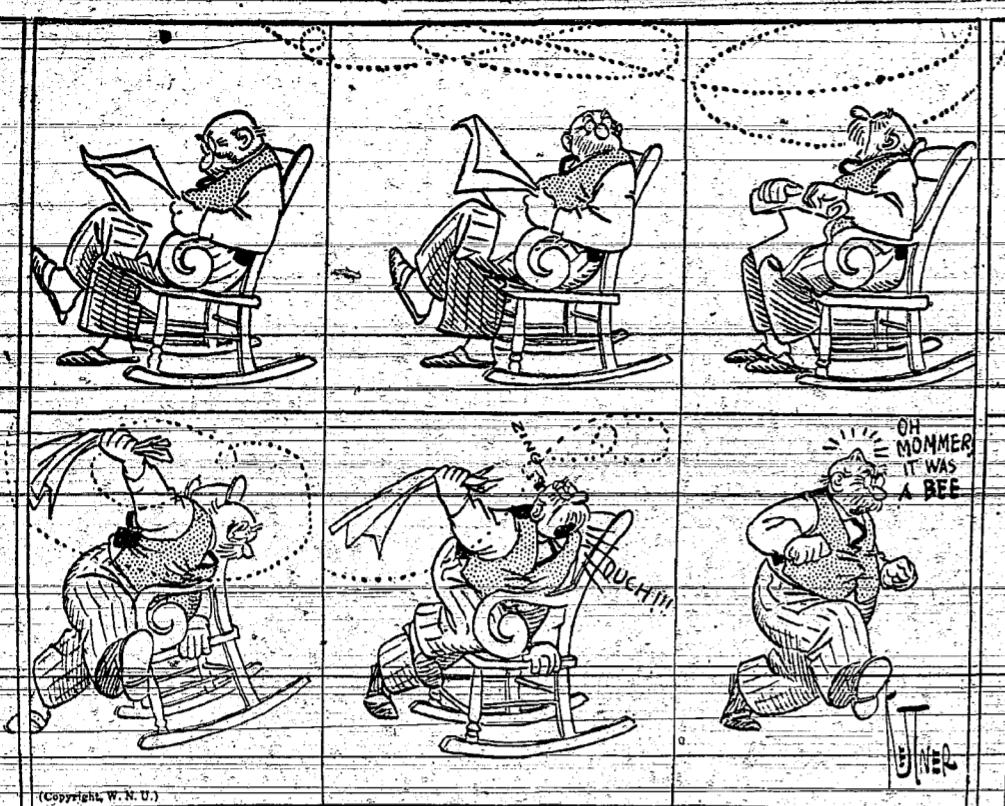
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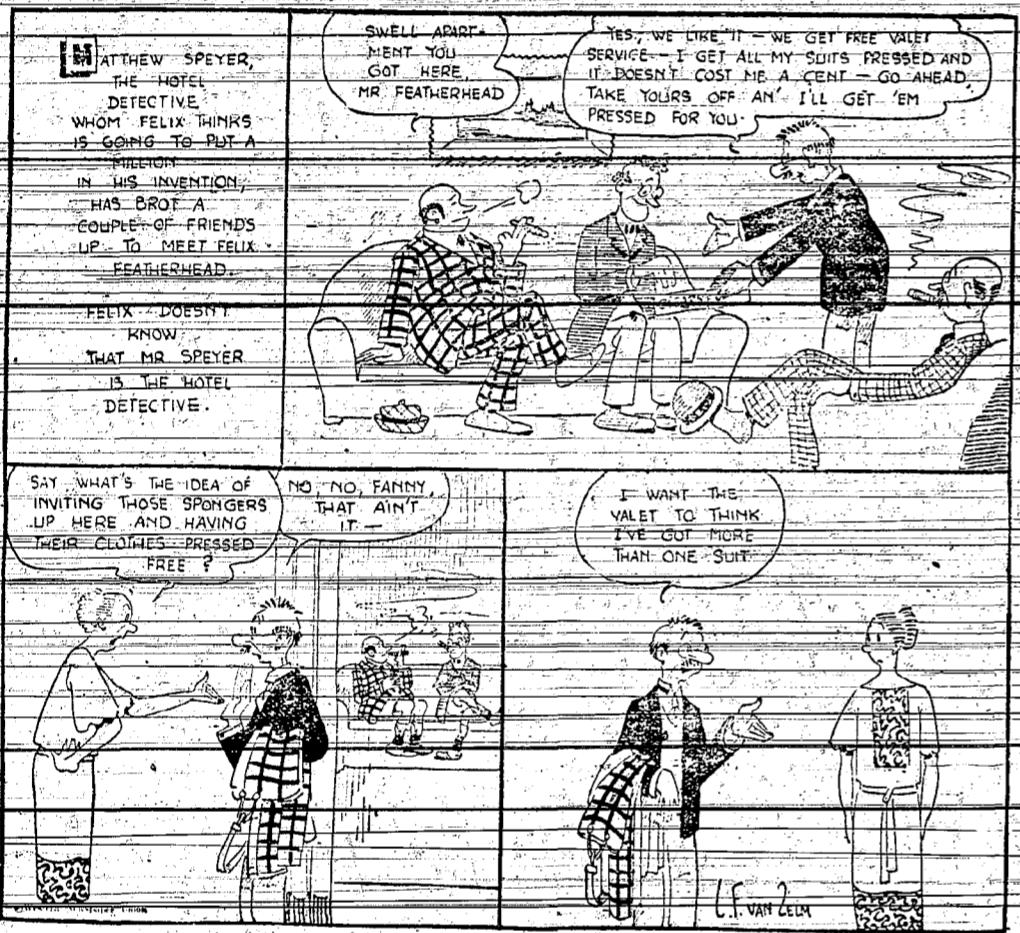
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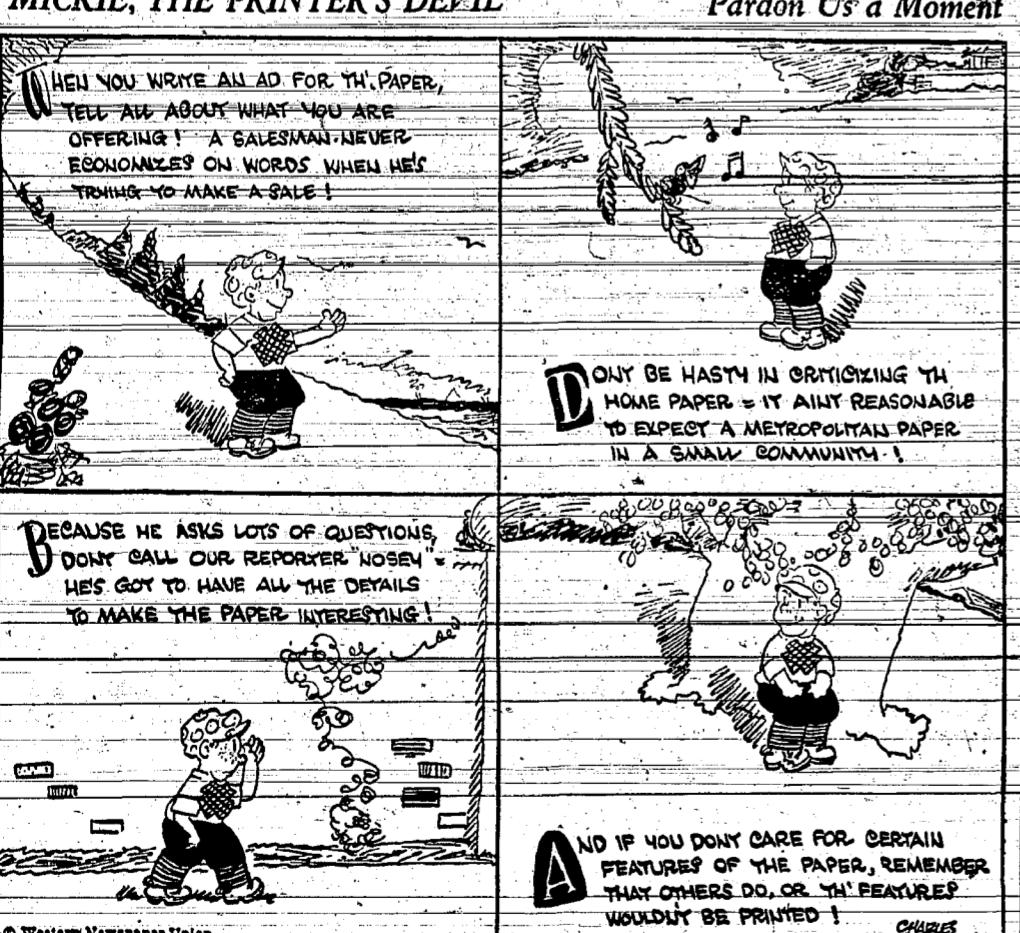


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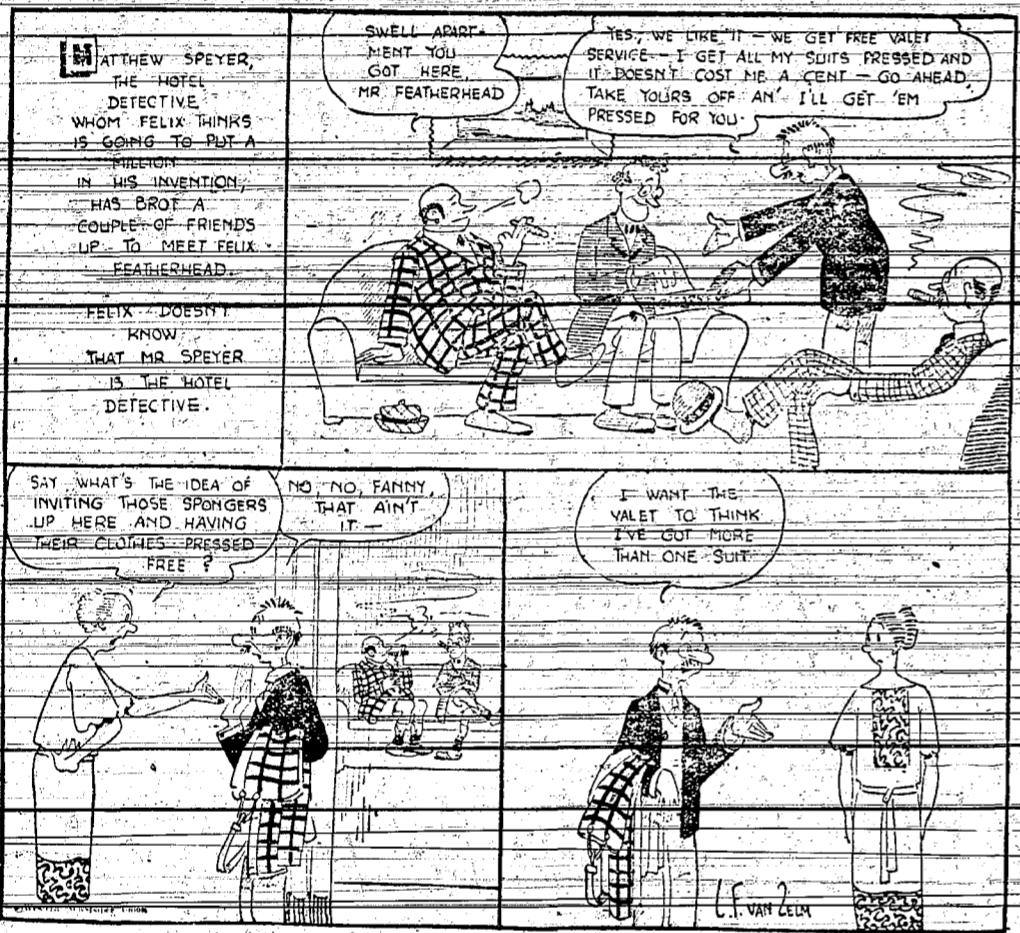


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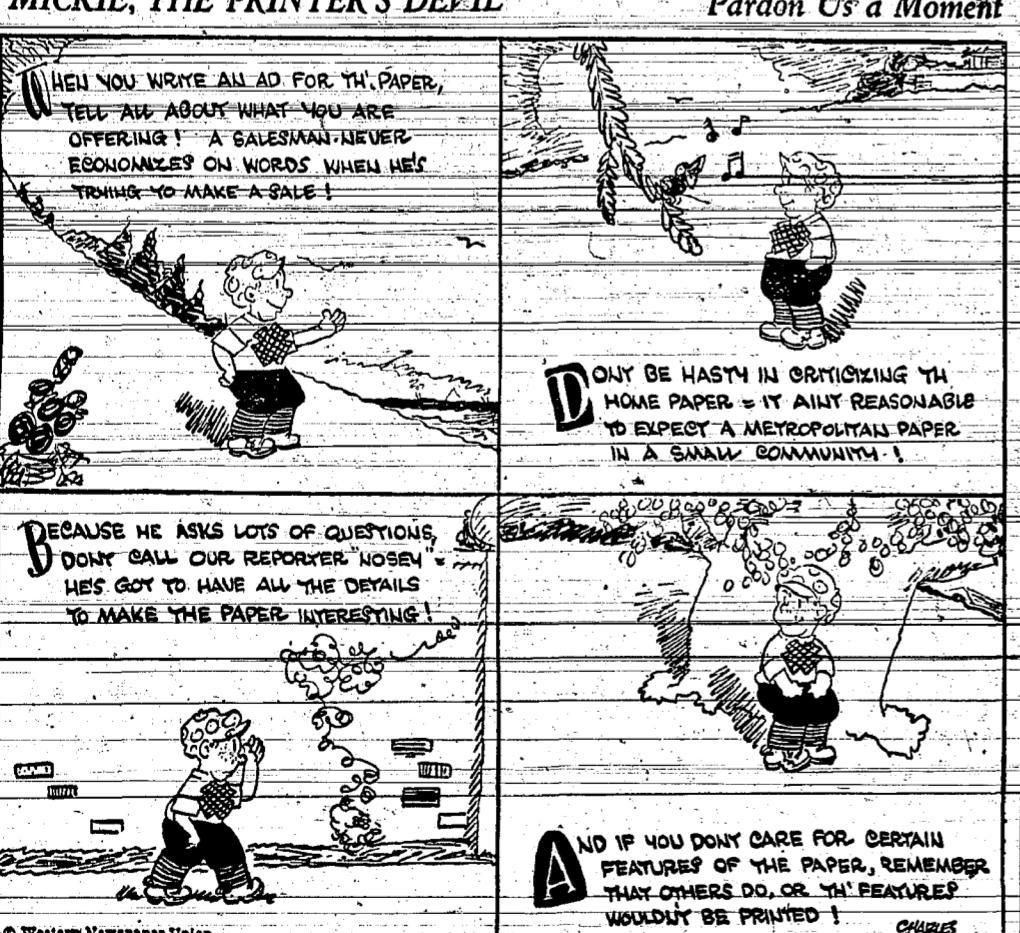


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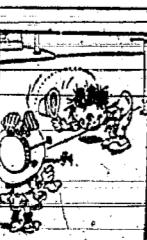


Pardon Us a Moment



AND IF YOU DON'T CARE FOR CERTAIN FEATURES OF THE PAPER, REMEMBER THAT OTHERS DO, OR TH. FEATURES WOULDNT BE PRINTED!

CHARLES GUGLIELMI



Cupid introduces more house bills than all our congressmen.

Beauty wouldn't be even skin deep if we had microscopic eyes.

Don't imagine that a man pays his bills every time he meets them.

Week-End Outfit in One Suitcase

The conquering heroine of the pre-sports era was an earnest believer in the strength of numbers and her week-end gallop into strange countries were never ventured without the accompaniment of a wardrobe that was as extensive as it was pretentious. Those were the days, writes a fashion correspondent in the *New York Herald-Tribune*, when quantity was the measure of smartness and when no occasion was too trivial to demand a change of costume. Starting with the morning frock, a summer's day which did not witness at least four distinct costumes was counted among the lost, and the enterprising demimonde who could improve upon that number was at once the envy of her sisters and the glowing light of sooths-gatherings. Manifestly, it was impossible to pack the necessary wardrobe within the limited confines of a single suitcase, and the pleasure-hunting week-ender was compelled to travel laden heavily with luggage or else run the risk of being occasionally out of the picture.

Those unscientific times are past, due partly to the comparative unconventionality of the summer mode, partly to a more enlightened attitude on the part of the gentle traveler, and partly to the general vogue of sportswear. Fashion no longer contents itself with seasonal changes—it is continually undergoing minute evolutions and the hallmark of haute-elite demands small monthly wardrobe changes instead of the voluminous semi-annual acquisitions that characterized the past. The modern Parisienne does not burden herself with many clothes at a time; her usual number of frocks is, perhaps, greater than ever before, but they are added at diverse periods as the season demands, and as they are added, other costumes are either discarded or revamped to coincide with the smartest and latest dicta of the mode.

Wardrobe Should Fit Suitcase.

The result is a wardrobe which is always chic and never cumbersome, and which is comfortably sufficient until the three days of the sportive week-end. Indeed, the greatest boon to the modern week-end habit has been the general simplification of fashion. You simply cannot pack fruits and fashions into a suitcase. If you appear with a wardrobe trunk or a quantity of successive year's hostess immediately becomes apprehensive and you can hardly blame her. Obviously, then, the ideal week-end wardrobe must be modified to suit a single suitcase and the present status of the mode makes that task no longer a problem. Apparently the dressmakers were thinking of the feminine week-end when they evolved those delectable little suits that are the prop of every smart woman's existence nowadays. Whether it is made of cashmere or chintz, or rayon, the jumper and its ill-fated garment to follow has appeared in the modern wardrobe of the mode. Even its plaid can be copied in the suit, and it is an excellent plan to put them into place if the material of the dress is not too showy, always taking care to choose the cardigan or a pin and not the blouse with white lace border.

For Tennis, Tennis and Bridge. The nature of the jumper frock will vary according to the type of place in which you are going to spend your week-end. If you expect to stay in an atmosphere of nibbles and amusements, naturally there should be a corresponding atmosphere of wooden and fine jersey cloth about the garments you take with you. If tennis is included in the program, a few one-piece white crepe or creme frocks will answer the requirements. These crease less readily

than cotton and they shake out into charming folds as soon as they are hung up in a roomy cupboard.

After games the most usual occupation is bridge, and for this you will require a change. But let it be a change into a frock that, but for its color and material, might almost be worn for tennis or golf itself. The smartest clothes of the present season all have that sports allure. Even your dinner dress should have such a slim cut that if you put it on in the daytime nothing could be easier than an impromptu game, quite possible in its straightline simplicity.

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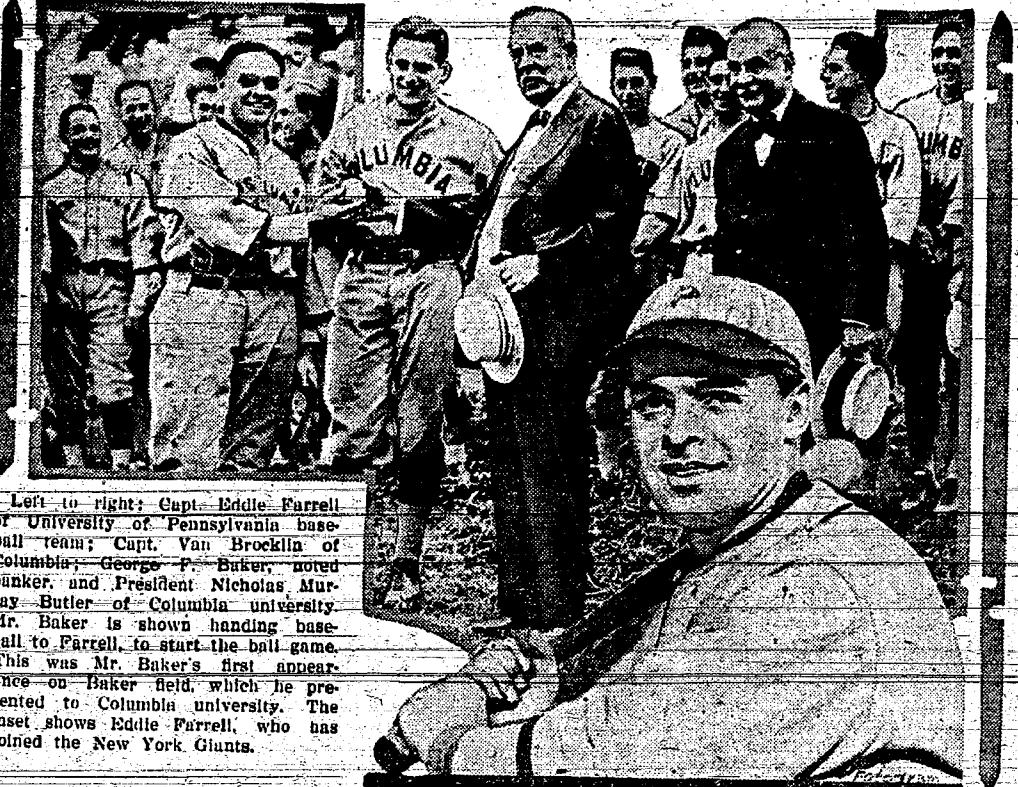
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George F. Baker Presents Field to Columbia



Left to right: Capt. Eddie Farrell, of University of Pennsylvania baseball team; Capt. Van Brocklin of Columbia; George F. Baker, noted banker, and President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia university. Mr. Baker is shown handing baseball to Farrell to start the ball game. This was Mr. Baker's first appearance on Baker field, which he presented to Columbia university. The inset shows Eddie Farrell, who has joined the New York Giants.

DIDN'T LIKE NAME OF YANKEE TEAM

Watson Couldn't Stand for New York American League Club.

The recent release of pitcher John Watson by the New York Giants re-calls an interesting yarn. Watson was sent to Fort Smith pertaining to the way he dodged a possible chance to play with the Yankees.

Watson was playing with Fort Smith when a Yankee scout dropped into Tulsa, Okla., where the Fort Smith team was to play a series. The word got to Watson that the scout wanted to see him pitch and had contract ready for him to sign if he showed the right amount of promise.

Watson, born and raised in Louisiana, had seen or heard little of the world when he began to play baseball and carried an inborn hatred of the word "Yankee," inherited from his ancestors of Civil war days. So he decided he didn't want to play with a team bearing that name.

Tulsa failed to collect more than a hit in two of him in four innings. Watson started to figure out some other way of discouraging the "Ivory

Later, when Watson sat in the lobby of the hotel, the scout gave him the once over with an odd expression on his face, then checked out and headed for the depot. Watson saw him go and followed him to the train to make sure he had departed.

Later on Watson got a chance to show his stuff to one of Connie Mack's scouts.

Manager Rogers Hornsby



Rogers Hornsby, famous slugging second baseman of the St. Louis Cardinals, recently appointed manager of the team to succeed Branch Rickey, continues to slug the ball hard as ever. Rickey was made vice president of the club.

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NOTES FROM THE DIAMOND

It looks as though Bentley of the Giants was in for his best year. Outfielder Thrasher has been obtained by Pittsfield from Worcester.

It takes nine men to win a ball game, but one of them can lose it.

The Cleveland baseball club has 17 players who grew up on farms.

E. R. Jester, 26, shortstop, was elected captain of the baseball team of the University of Illinois.

We may expect to see a great race for base stealing between Washington and Chicago this year.

W. F. Christman, '26, has been re-elected captain of the varsity baseball nine at Northwestern university.

It is feared that Norman McMillan, St. Paul Indians, will be out of the game two months because of injuries suffered when he ran into the grand stand chasing a foul.

Heine Mueller, outfielder of the Cardinals, will be out of the game for some time as a result of being injured in a game at St. Louis. He fractured his right leg.

As things look now, Washington appears to be the only team which stands between Manager Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics and his first pennant in ten years.

Manager Purcell of Springfield has signed Pitcher McConnell of Kansas City for a trout. McConnell has had no professional experience, but has a world of stuff.

Pitcher Kennedy was released by Aldmore, and the day after being handed the release he turned around and beat his former teammates, after Gabby Street of Muskogee had signed with the Indians.

ONE-BASE HITS

(By JACK SIMPSON.)

The Catcher's Box

Few ball players, especially catchers, know they are restricted to a certain territory behind the home plate. The catcher's box is triangular in shape, formed by the extension of foul lines as the sides, the corner of the plate nearest the catcher as the apex. A line ten feet from the corner of the plate connecting the extended foul lines marks off the catcher's box.

The catcher is supposed to work in this box and can be penalized just the same as the pitcher if he operates outside of it at certain times. The pitcher, during an exciting part of the game, will forget himself and start his wind-up before the catcher has returned to his box and given him his signal, thereby committing a balk. Catchers must be alert at all times to help a pitcher when the going is rough to prevent this situation.

How often have you noticed a catcher step up in front of the home plate to receive a legally pitched ball on which a base runner is stealing home? He committed two offenses—a balk and an interference. The balk was made when he stepped out of his box to receive the ball and the interference was made when he prevented the batter from hitting the legally pitched ball. The base runner on third scores and all base runners advance one base while the batter is granted first base. The proper play for the catcher to make in the above situation would be to remain in his box until he received the ball and then his legal right to step up and block the runner on the plate. If the batter interfered with the catcher blocking the runner, he (the runner) would be declared out for such interference.

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Manager Eddie Onslow of Providence has cut loose two pitchers, a right-hander and Murray, a southpaw.

Hurry Kelly, recruit pitcher with the Washington Senators, has been sent to the New Orleans club of the Southern association.

It is being demonstrated again that the winter is no time to win a baseball pennant.

Joe Hauser, Athletics' hard-hitting first baseman, who broke his kneecap this spring, has discarded his crutches and is now getting around with the aid of a good strong cane.

John "Shano" Collins, former White Sox outfielder, who later joined the Red Sox, has been given his unconditional release so that he might assume the management of the Pittsburgh club of the Eastern league.

It is understood that Mr. Dempsey's visit to the battlefields of France will not be at government expense.

Charles Watson III, 1027, of Philadelphia and St. Louis will enjoy outdoor wrestling bouts this summer.

The ordinary American city, says a foreign architect, "is only an overgrown country town." And a home run is only a long burst.

Some of the college graduates are going in for rounds this summer, some for swimming, others for professional baseball or perhaps a tour of Europe, and here and there is an isolated case where one is going to the work

CRAWFORD AVALANCHE

MY FAVORITE STORIES

By IRVIN S. COBB

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A Stickler for the Truth

I have a friend who practices law in the Florida courts and deals in citrus fruit on the side. One day he was on his way in a car from his groves to his home in Miami. On the road he overtook a lank native who seemingly was in a high state of indignation, muttering to himself as he trudged along and clutching and unclenching his freckled fists.

The lawyer stopped and offered to give him a lift.

"I ain't goin' so very fur," said the stranger as he climbed into the car, "but I can't git to whar I'm goin' a minute too soon. There's a feller livin' down the road here a piece by the name of Ed Watts, an' just this mornin' the word come to me that yistiday, in town, he told a gang of fellers I was a low-down, hawg-stealin', wife-beatin', alg-suckin' cur dayng."

"So I'm on my way to his place to settle it with him. When we git that you stop while I go in, an' then you better jest watch to see what I'm goin' to do to him."

Presently they came to a cabin set among straggly fruit trees. A very large, very strong looking man sat on a doo-top busily engaged in doing nothing at all.

"Step right here," commanded the grizzled person. "This is that Watt's yonder. Now, mister, jest you keep your eye on me."

From the run my friend watched while his late passenger dismounted and marched toward the front door of the cabin. At his approach the larger man uncuffed himself to a height of considerably more than six feet, at the same time inquiring the name of his two hawg-stealin' hounds after the improved fashion.

The two men exchanged a few words; then, with the air of having satisfactorily accomplished a difficult but necessary piece of business, the large fellow turned about and returned to where the car stood in the road.

"Well," he said, "that's all settled."

"What happened?" inquired my friend.

"I axed him et he'd said what then tellers told me he'd done said, and he come out like a man all owned up that he hed. Ef he'd denied it I'd a-been-ly had to hit him."

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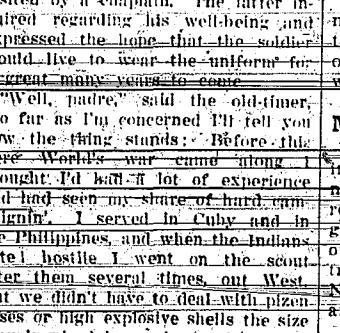
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Prof. Clarence W. Mendell, chairman of the board of athletic control at Yale, has announced the Yale bowl will not be enlarged either by the addition of rows of seats further back or by the erection of a second tier or gallery, according to the Yale alumni weekly.

It is impossible, Professor Mendell says, to satisfy the desires of both the graduates and the public, and to add 26,000 seats would be insufficient to fill the demand at the big games.

The scout saw him go.

Tad Jones as Golfer



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Manager Eddie Onslow of Providence has cut loose two pitchers, a right-hander and Murray, a southpaw.

Hurry Kelly, recruit pitcher with the Washington Senators, has been sent to the New Orleans club of the Southern association.

It is being demonstrated again that the winter is no time to win a baseball pennant.

Joe Hauser, Athletics' hard-hitting first baseman, who broke his kneecap this spring, has discarded his crutches and is now getting around with the aid of a good strong cane.

John "Shano" Collins, former White Sox outfielder, who later joined the Red Sox, has been given his unconditional release so that he might assume the management of the Pittsburgh club of the Eastern league.

It is understood that Mr. Dempsey's visit to the battlefields of France will not be at government expense.

Charles Watson III, 1027, of Philadelphia and St. Louis will enjoy outdoor wrestling bouts this summer.

The ordinary American city, says a foreign architect, "is only an overgrown country town." And a home run is only a long burst.

Some of the college graduates are

going in for rounds this summer, some

for swimming, others for professional

baseball or perhaps a tour of Europe,

and here and there is an isolated case

where one is going to the work

ship passengers serve selves

Mainland Passengers aboard the

Dollar Line President Adams, arriv-

ing here from Hongkong, reported

they were forced to cook their own

meals, eat on tables, and clean

their state rooms during the voyage,

due to strike of Chinese stewards

at Hongkong.

As the stewards quit the vessel,

shortly before the sailing hour,

the President Adams dashed from

the pier to prevent loss of the entire

Chinese crew.

Just and Earnest

King Robert Bruce of Scotland died of leprosy.

Halifax harbor is 10 miles long and

one of the finest in the world.

The tailor club was organized by

a tailor, a coal dealer and a mining

expert.

The greatest petition ever presented

to a legislative body is said to be the

one bearing the names of 345,516 farm-

ers, in favor of tax reduction. The

petition, if stretched to full length, would be about two miles long.

MARKESTS

Butter and Eggs

Butter markets erratic. Prices \$2.40 per pound No. 1 creamery in tubs, \$3.00-\$4.00 per lb. Eggs, fresh receipts, \$3.00-\$4.00 per dozen.

Feed

Feed markets easier. Winter wheat bran, \$36.50; spring wheat bran, \$35.50; standard middlings, \$37.50; cracked corn, \$35.50; coarse cornmeal, \$42.50; chop, \$37.50 per ton in car lots.

Fruits and Vegetables

Potato market tending upward. U. S. No. 1 Michigan, in carlots, \$1.75 per 100 lb. sack. Cabbage, new, \$5.50 and \$7.00 per crate.

Hay and Straw

Hay and straw markets firmer. Hay No. 1 timothy, \$10.50 per 100 standard tubs, \$18.50 per 100; No. 2 timothy, \$17.50 per 100; No. 1 clover mixed, \$18.50 per 100; clover, \$15.50 per 100; wheat and oat straw \$10.50 per 100; rye straw, \$10.50 per 100 per ton in car lots.

Grain

Grain market lower. Quoted Detroit, wheat, cash No. 1 red, \$1.50; No. 2 red, \$1.20; No. 2 mixed, \$1.75; yellow

**POLISH CORRIDOR
TO DANZIG IS HARD****Few Travelers Know About
Passport Regulations.**

Marienburg, East Prussia.—The Polish corridor has probably been the promoter of more profanity than any other creation of the Versailles treaty. It separates East Prussia entirely from the rest of Germany, being a narrow strip of territory which connects Poland with the Baltic sea.

Therefore all railway travel to Russia and the new Baltic states, as well as East Prussia, must pass over this corridor, and nobody can enter Danzig from the west by land without touching Polish soil.

While Polish visas are required for all persons who wish to enter Danzig by rail from the west, few travelers going from Berlin or other cities in the west know of this regulation.

Danzig is a free city. No Danzig visa is necessary to enter that city. Consequently tourists assume that a trip from Hamburg or Berlin to Danzig does not involve any border difficulties.

Then Comes Disillusionment.

But there is great disillusionment when they reach the Polish corridor. All passengers destined for Danzig who have no Polish visa are locked into cars which are sealed while the train stops in Danzig and are not unlocked until the train reaches German soil again in this city.

Consequently, Marienburg has become a popular refuge for travelers who have no Polish chop on their passports. This city has become the chief station on an underground railway leading into Danzig, and on an average 60 motor cars daily leave Marienburg for Danzig, taking a highway which does not touch Polish territory between Marienburg and Danzig.

This traffic has amazed passengers who are scarcely able to understand what the mystery is all about in no sense illegal. It is merely a clever subterfuge which enables persons desirous of entering Danzig to dodge the irregular-shaped corridor created by the Versailles conference in such a manner as to enable Poland to control important railway junctions.

Avoid Controls by Side Roads.

A motor car or carriage taking the highway south from Danzig to Marienburg, a distance of less than 80 miles, must pass through six different control stations. By taking side roads farther to the east than the main road, and crossing the Vistula river on a primitive ferry, it is possible to avoid all these controls and enter the free city of Danzig without question.

Marienburg hotels are always crowded with persons who are trying to get into Danzig. Every train from the west side of the corridor brings many surprised passengers who thought they were on their way to Danzig, but were not allowed to stop in the city. Day and night motor cars are running to Danzig.

The Polish corridor control can be avoided by boat, and in summer the Germans who come from west Prussia to Zoppot, the celebrated seashore resort near Danzig, generally travel by sea. Many visitors also go to Danzig by air, thus dodging the corridor.

**Denies Wife's Suit to Be
Declared Legally Alive**

White Plains, N. Y.—One of the most unusual actions ever brought in the Supreme court in connection with the Enoch Arden law was revealed in a decision handed down by Justice Young at White Plains, in which he denied the application of Mrs. Virginia Griffin to set aside an Enoch Arden decree of dissolution of her marriage which Edward A. Griffin had obtained against her upon the ground she was dead.

When Griffin sought the decree on June 4, 1924, he stated that he had not seen his wife in ten years and he believed her dead. On September 6 Justice Young dissolved the marriage.

On November 14, 1924, Virginia appeared and instituted proceedings to set aside the order declaring her dead. This the court refused to do.

Parasite Killing Fish

In Pond at Washington
Seattle.—A parasite, new to the United States, has killed thirty-five fish of the tench variety in a pond at the University of Washington, according to Professor John Guberlet of the institution's zoology department, who was studying the organism here. "The parasite causes a film to form over the victim's body and the fish dies within two weeks. The tench has been the only variety attacked at present," said Professor Guberlet.

**London Church Installs
Dressing Room for Brides**

London.—Bishops and other clergy of the Church of England frequently protest the inordinate use of cosmetics by women, but the most fashionable churches do not object. The Church of St. Columbus, like St. Margaret's a scene of many society weddings, has installed a dressing room for brides, where a last-minute dab of powder and paint may be added to the wedding makeup.

Jazz Ousta Opera

London.—The Royal Opera house at Covent Garden—one of the most famous theaters in the world—will be converted into a dance hall. Dances to the music of jazz bands will be held nightly.

A Kentucky boy has been adjudged the world's best speller. We wonder if the winning word was "coline!"

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A special lot of House Dresses **79c**; a few others at **\$8.50**, **\$1.48**, and **\$1.69**. Child's Gingham Rompers **69c**. Don't be caught without an Umbrella when you can get a \$1.50 one for **98c**. Embroidered and lace top Chemises at **89c**.

Millinery—Last week was one of my best weeks I've had in Millinery, and low prices did it. There's still plenty of time to choose from latest styles and colors, at **\$5.85** and **\$5.50** values, as low as **\$3.89** and **\$3.48**; **\$3.89** values as low as **\$1.98**.

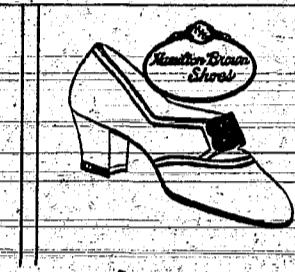
All **25c** Ginghams for **18c**, 27 inches wide; all **30c** Ginghams for **25c**, 36 inches wide. Boy's Waists and Blouses **59c** and up. Boy's Knee Pants **98c**. Boy's long Pants **\$1.29**. Men's Blue Shambray work Shirts **59c**, only one to customer. Men's Straw Hats **\$1.98**. Child's brown tennis Pump, 1 strap, at **95c** and **99c**. Tennis Shoes high and low **90c**. Boys' and Girls' runner Bats **\$1.25**. A few Cloaks, latest styles and colors, Silk lined, **\$30.00** values at **\$19.50**; another lot, **\$25.00** values at **\$14.50**.

A few specials in Dresses, Fibre Silk and silk mixed Crepe at **\$5.85**, **\$6.85** and **\$7.85**. Overalls; this is your chance. Spring back, **\$2.00** value for **\$1.69**, **\$1.75** values for **\$1.48**. Brown Coveralls for men, Unions, **\$3.00** values for **\$2.69**, sizes 38 to 48. Men's silk Socks at **35c**, **48c** and **63c**. Mothers—Buy your Children's Hosiery at this Store. The famous Bear brand; brown and black, all sizes. Half hose for little tots, all colors, at **25c**. For growing children, in tan, fancy tops, at **63c**.

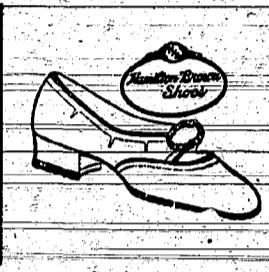
**Men's Work Shoes**

\$1.75 values for **\$3.98**

Made by the Steven Strong people. It's a good time to buy your boy's shoes for fall. Moccasin cut, uskide sole and heel; crepe and uskide sole. Oxfords at a low price that will make a mother's heart rejoice.



Ladies' Bedroom
Felt,
Slippers
bright colors
79c



A few leather Bedroom
Slippers at
\$1.69
with Rubber Heels

Girls' Khakia Knicker Suits, with Sailor Tie, at **\$1.25** each. Wishing to close my entire line of Summer Goods at this time, I am giving every one bargains that cannot be duplicated elsewhere. A thousand and one bargains at this Store not mentioned in this ad on account of time and space. "The Little Store with Big Bargains" opposite the Court House, so called "The Lemon Colored Store on the hill." This Sale starts July 9th, and continues until Thursday night, July 23rd, 1925. Come to Frank's Store, the home of big bargains.

A BIG WELCOME AT FRANK'S PLACE.**KING OF THE RODEOS****MATRI-MONY**

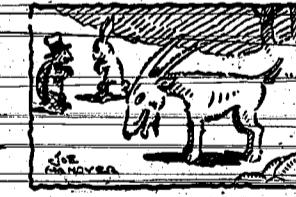
"No, sir! No more joints! I haven't a single dollar!"

"Well, if all your dollars have taken unto themselves mates, I wouldn't think of separating them—let's have a couple!"

THAT'S WHY

Patient—What's the sense in giving diseases such long, hard names? No one but a doctor can pronounce them.

Doctor—That's the reason. The patients can't bore their friends to death talking about them.

A GOAT'S APPETITE

Turtle—There's money in goats, all right.

Rabbit—How so?

Turtle—That one just ate a five-dollar bill!

LEGAL NOTICE

To the Owner or Owners of Any
and All Interests in or Lien
Upon the Lands herein—describ-
ed:

TAKE NOTICE that sale has been
lawfully made of the following de-
scribed land for unpaid taxes thereon,
and that the undersigned has title
thereto under tax deed or deeds is-
sued therefor and that you are en-
titled to a reconveyance thereof at
any time within six months after re-
turn or service of this notice upon
payment to the undersigned or to the
Register in Chancery of the County
in which the land lie, of all sums paid
upon such purchase, together with one
hundred per centum additional
thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff
for the service or cost of publication
of this notice, to be computed as upon
personal service of a declaration as
communicated of suit, and the fur-
ther sum of five dollars for each descrip-
tion, without other additional cost
or charges. If payment as aforesaid
is not made, the undersigned will in-
stitute Proceedings.

Description of Land:

All in the County of Crawford,
State of Michigan.

West half of Northeast quarter,
Section Twenty-nine (29), Town
Twenty-five (25) North, Range Three
(3), West. Amount paid \$60.42 for the
year of 1920; \$51.23 for the year of
1921; \$45.56 for the year of 1922;
\$38.19 for the year of 1923; total
amount paid \$193.40.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$205.80 plus the fees for service.

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By Porter & Wyman, Agents,
By H. J. Mulder,
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To Helen Millikin, Alberta, Michi-
gan, grantee under the last recorded
deed in the regular chain of title,
to said land.

William Millikin, Alberta, Michigan
granted under the last recorded tax
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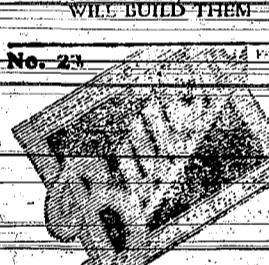
Frank L. VanSickle, mortgagee
named in all undischarged recorded
mortgages.

As the Boy Saw It

Little Carl was asked if he would
rather have a little sister or a little
brother. He asked for a dog. "You
can't have one," said his father.
"Dogs cost money, and the money
must go for the baby." A few days
later a little brother was presented to
Carl. "Look at him," he said to his
grandmother, "all our money
wasted on that!"

**WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES
ARE BUILT, BUICK
WILL BUILD THEM**

No. 23

**Composition of Chalk**

Chalk is a soft, earthy, finely granu-
lar variety of limestone, white, gray
or white or yellowish in color. Chalk
is formed chiefly by sea bottom ac-
cumulations of the shells of small
foraminifera, combined with numerous
minute organisms known as siliceous
sponges and shells of radio-
laria. The uses of chalk are many.
When mixed with a binding substance
it finds wide application as a writing
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ing in connection with this Court will
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Judge of Probate.

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